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In re Application of  
Vladimir Volokh  
Application No. 09/273,468  
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Attorney Docket No. P-68422-US

**ON PETITION**

This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed August 27, 2003, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

The above-identified application became abandoned for failure to reply in a timely manner in reply to the non-final Office action mailed October 22, 2001, which set a shortened statutory period for reply of three months. No extensions of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136 have been obtained. Accordingly, the application became abandoned on January 23, 2002.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to Latrice Bond at (703) 308-6911.

The application file is being forwarded to Technology Center 3722 for processing the Request for Continued Examination under 37 CFR 1.114 filed with the instant petition.

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